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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of Alan K. Schaer Prior Application: 09/104,752 For: EP CATHETER Prior Examiner: L. Cohen Prior Group Art Unit:3739 Filed: Concurrently Prior Status Application: Allowed Docket No.: 22963-1271

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## CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) -

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents The United States Patent and Trademark Office **BOX CPA** Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under the Continued Prosecution Application

Procedure, 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d).

It is understood that secrecy under 37 U.S.C. §122 is hereby waived to the extent that if

Re just pen information to reaccess is: available to any one of the applications in the file jacket of a 37 C.F. Res 1.53(d) 09/25/2000 RMARMOL 00000029 09104752 01 FC:131 application, be it either the application or a prior application in the same file jacket, the PTO may provide 03 FC:102 04 FC:117 similar information or access to all the other applications in the same file jacket.

This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application 1. 1 X 1

10/12/2000 LFULTON 00000005 081641 09104755 lars are set out above. With respect to the prior application from which the 126.00 CH 02 FC:102 312.00 CH present application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120, the inventors in this application

are:

the same 09/26/2000 MMARHOL 00000029 09104752 less than those named in the prior application and it is 690.'<del>00</del>'0p 02 FC:103 144.00 OP 78.00 OP 870.00 DP 1

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requested that the following inventors identified above for the prior application be deleted. the name of the applicant(s) as originally filed in the prior application along with their 1, X / current address are as filed: 10162 Alpine Drive, #B Cupertino, CA 95014 / X / The inventorship for all the claims in this application is: / X / the same. 1 1 not the same, and an explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, is submitted. 1\_/ The applicant is a small entity: 2. small entity status established in prior application. / / small entity statement attached. The filing fees are to be calculated on the claims pending in the prior application and the claims 3. remaining as a result of: the attached Preliminary Amendment. the unentered amendment which was filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116 / X / in the prior application.

the claims allowed in the notice of allowance mailed

## FILING FEE CALCULATION

	Number Filed	Number Extra*	Rate	Basic Fee \$690
Total Claims	28 - 20 =	8	x \$18 =	\$144.
Independent Claims	4-3 =	1	x \$78 =	\$78.
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	Calculated Filing Fee	\$912.00
	/_/Applicant is entitled to a 50% Filing	
	Fee Reduction as a Small Entity	\$N/A
4.	/_/ Applicant hereby petitions for an Extension of Time of 3 month(s), pursuant to Rule 1.17(a)(3). Fee required \$ 870.00	\$870.00
	Total Fees Due	\$1,782.00
5.	/_/ Payment of filing fee is deferred.	
6.	/X/ Attached is a check in the amount of \$	
7.	/X/ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be requ	uired by this paper
	to Deposit Account 08-1641, referencing Docket No. 22963-1271. A dupl	licate copy of this
	sheet is enclosed.	
8.	$/\underline{X}/$ The prior application is assigned of record to: Cardima, Inc.	KECEIVED SEP 28 2000 TC 3700 MAIL ROOM
9.	/X/ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:	2939 VIL 70
	Edward J. Lynch	MOM
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	/ / The power does not appear in the original papers, but was filed on	

		/_/ A new power has been executed and is attached.	
		/X/ Address all future communications to:	
		Edward J. Lynch HELLER EHRMAN WHITE & McAULIFFE LLP 525 University Avenue Palo Alto, CA 94301-1900 Tel. (650) 324-7000 Direct Tel. (650) 324-7098 Facsimile: (650) 324-0638	
10.		A petition and appropriate fee have been filed to extend the term of the pending prior application	
		until	
		/_/ A copy of the Petition which is being filed in the prior application is attached.	
11.	/_/	Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending or when the	
		petition for extension of time or the petition to revive in that application is granted and when this	
		application is granted a filing date so as to make this application co-pending with said prior	
		application.	
12.	2. OTHER DOCUMENTS FILED HEREWITH		
	/_/	Information Disclosure Statement	
	1_1	Preliminary Amendment	
	./ <u>X</u> /	Return Receipt Postcard	
	/_/	Other (specify)	
		Respectfully submitted,  Edward J. Lynch/ Attorney for Applicant(s) Registration No. 24,422	

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